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LEWISTON PRAISES 'WHITE SISTER'

A Lewiston Criticism of "The White Sister."

While a capacity house did not assemble at the Temple Theatre last night to witness the production of "The White Sister," with Miss Jeanne Towler in the emotional role of Sister Giovanna, those that were fortunate enough to be present were treated to a rare bit of acting on the part of several members of the cast, notably, aside from the star, the work of Vernon Wallace in the role of Lieutenant Basil; Florence Burroughs, as Countess Chiaromonte, Robert Wayne

as Captain Giovanni, and Edmund Roth as Doctor Pieri.

The play is built around the life of a young woman, forsaking the world to enter a convent and devote her remaining days to seclusion in a religious house, this being brought about by her erstwhile lover leaving for a post in Africa. After a few years absent in devotion of her religious duties, Sister Giovanna is surprised to learn that her lover of former days has returned to the scene, but true to her sacred vows refuses to give up her Godly life to again take up with

Lieutenant Basil (Vernon Wallace).

At several stages in the play, the acting is so intense and marked with scenes strongly dramatic, that the audience is held in awe. At the conclusion of each act last night each member of the company received the plaudits of those assembled. Nowadays the American public is being weaned away from the legitimate drama, the opera bouffe and singing operas being more heavily patronized, but if the "White Sister" is any criterion of what we may expect to see in Lewiston it is safe to predict that the theatre goers here will take on a half reformation at least, and give attention to the highest of histrionic arts—the well acted and well selected drama.

Miss Towler is rapidly gaining distinction as among the leading American actresses at Lewiston theatre goers who saw her last night, are willing to concede that the high praise accorded her by the newspapers of the big coast cities was entirely deserved.



Jeanne Towler, and a scene from the Viola Allen production, "The White Sister" at the Steward tonight.

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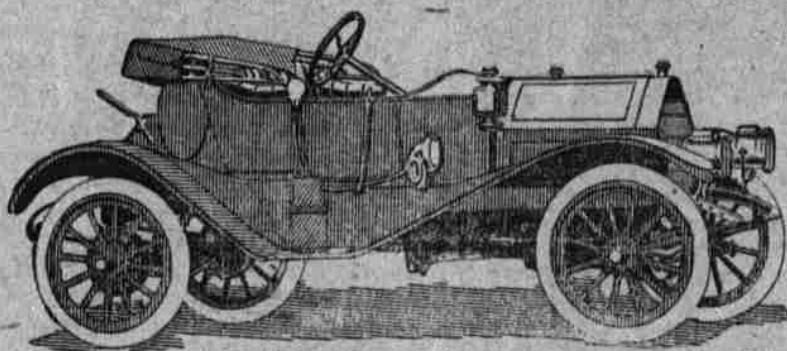
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